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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 21614485 PubMed ID: 11747808
TITLE: Dual inhibition of sister chromatid separation at metaphase.
AUTHOR: Stemmann O; Zou H; Gerber S A; Gygi S P; Kirschner M W
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Cell Biology, Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA 02115, USA.
CONTRACT NUMBER: GM26875-17 (NIGMS)
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SOURCE: CELL, (2001 Dec 14) 107 (6) 715-26.
Journal code: 0413066. ISSN: 0092-8674.
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LANGUAGE: English
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ENTRY MONTH: 200201
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AB Separation of sister chromatids in anaphase is mediated by **separase**, an endopeptidase that cleaves the chromosomal cohesin SCC1. **Separase** is **inhibited** by securin, which is degraded at the metaphase-anaphase transition. Using *Xenopus* egg extracts, we demonstrate that high CDC2 activity **inhibits** anaphase but not securin degradation. We show that **separase** is kept inactive under these conditions by a mechanism independent of binding to securin. Mutation of a single phosphorylation site on **separase** relieves the **inhibition** and rescues chromatid separation in extracts with high CDC2 activity. Using quantitative mass spectrometry, we show that, in intact cells, there is complete phosphorylation of this site in metaphase and significant dephosphorylation in anaphase. We propose that **separase** activation at the metaphase-anaphase transition requires the removal of both securin and an **inhibitory** phosphate.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001542521 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 21473267 PubMed ID: 11589568
TITLE: Role of the kinetochore protein Ndc10 in mitotic checkpoint activation in *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*.
AUTHOR: Frasnini R; Beretta A; Lucchini G; Piatti S
CORPORATE SOURCE: Dipartimento di Biotecnologie e Bioscienze, Universita degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca, Italy.
SOURCE: Mol Genet Genomics, (2001 Sep) 266 (1) 115-25.
Journal code: 101093320. ISSN: 1617-4615.
PUB. COUNTRY: Germany: Germany, Federal Republic of
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
LANGUAGE: English
FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals
ENTRY MONTH: 200110
ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 20011009
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AB Mitotic checkpoints delay cell cycle progression in response to alterations in the mitotic apparatus, thus ensuring correct chromosome segregation. While improper spindle orientation activates the Bub2/Bfa1-dependent checkpoint in budding yeast, delaying exit from mitosis, lack of bipolar kinetochore-microtubule attachment activates a signal transduction cascade that prevents both anaphase onset and exit from mitosis by **inhibiting** the Cdc20/APC (Anaphase Promoting Complex)-mediated proteolysis of securin and inactivation of mitotic cyclin-dependent kinases (CDKs), respectively. Proteolysis of the securin Pds1 is necessary to liberate the **separase** Esp1, which then triggers sister chromatid separation, whereas inactivation of mitotic CDKs is a prerequisite for exit from mitosis and for starting a new round of

DNA replication in the next cell cycle. In budding yeast, this latter checkpoint response involves the proteins Mad1, 2, 3, Bub1 and Bub3, whose vertebrate counterparts localize to unattached kinetochores. Mutations that alter other kinetochore proteins result in mitotic checkpoint activation, while the ndc10-1 mutation not only impairs kinetochore function, but also disrupts the checkpoint response, indicating a role for Ndc10 in this process. Here we present evidence that Ndc10 is not part of the Bub2/Bfa1-dependent pathway, and its role in the checkpoint response might also be different from that of the other Mad and Bub proteins. Indeed, Ndc10, unlike other mitotic checkpoint proteins, is not required for the mitotic block induced by overexpression of the Mps1 protein kinase, which is implicated in mitotic checkpoint control. Furthermore, the delay in mitotic exit caused by non-degradable Pds1, which does not require Mad and Bub proteins, depends on Ndc10 function. We propose that a pathway involving Ndc10 might monitor defects in the mitotic apparatus independently of the Mad and Bub proteins. Since the Esp1 **separase** is required for exit from mitosis in both ndc10-1 and nocodazole-treated mad2delta cells, the two signal transduction cascades might ultimately converge on the inactivation of Esp1.

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 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001534089 MEDLINE
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 21464657 PubMed ID: 11581162
 TITLE: Drosophila separase is required for sister chromatid separation and binds to PIM and THR.
 AUTHOR: Jager H; Herzig A; Lehner C F; Heidmann S
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Genetics, University of Bayreuth, 95440 Bayreuth, Germany.
 SOURCE: GENES AND DEVELOPMENT, (2001 Oct 1) 15 (19) 2572-84.
 Journal code: 8711660. ISSN: 0890-9369.
 PUB. COUNTRY: United States
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
 LANGUAGE: English
 FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals
 ENTRY MONTH: 200112
 ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 20011003
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AB Drosophila PIM and THR are required for sister chromatid separation in mitosis and associate in vivo. Neither of these two proteins shares significant sequence similarity with known proteins. However, PIM has functional similarities with securin proteins. Like securin, PIM is degraded at the metaphase-to-anaphase transition and this degradation is required for sister chromatid separation. Securin binds and **inhibits separase**, a conserved cysteine endoprotease. Proteolysis of securin at the metaphase-to-anaphase transition activates **separase**, which degrades a conserved cohesin subunit, thereby allowing sister chromatid separation. To address whether PIM regulates **separase** activity or functions with THR in a distinct pathway, we have characterized a Drosophila **separase** homolog (SSE). SSE is an unusual member of the **separase** family. SSE is only about one-third the size of other **separases** and has a diverged endoprotease domain. However, our genetic analyses show that SSE is essential and required for sister chromatid separation during mitosis. Moreover, we show that SSE associates with both PIM and THR. Although our work shows that **separase** is required for sister chromatid separation in higher eukaryotes, in addition, it also indicates that the regulatory proteins have diverged to a surprising degree, particularly in Drosophila.

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 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001471543 MEDLINE
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 21407745 PubMed ID: 11516952
 TITLE: Securin is not required for cellular viability, but is required for normal growth of mouse embryonic fibroblasts.
 AUTHOR: Mei J; Huang X; Zhang P
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Molecular Physiology and Biophysics, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX 77030, USA.

SOURCE: CURRENT BIOLOGY, (2001 Aug 7) 11 (15) 1197-201.
Journal code: 9107782. ISSN: 0960-9822.
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DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
LANGUAGE: English
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AB Sister chromatid separation depends on the release of cohesion by the activity of Esp1, a member of the caspase family [1, 2]. In budding yeast, Esp1p is kept inactive by its association with Pds1p, until the onset of anaphase, when Pds1p is ubiquitinated by the APC/Cdc20 complex [3--5] and subsequently degraded by the 26S proteasome. Pds1 is not an essential gene in budding yeast, but is required for cell cycle arrest prior to anaphase in response to the disruption of spindle structures [6, 7]. Thus, Pds1 mutant yeast cells display precocious sister chromatid separation in the presence of nocodazole [6]. Mammalian orthologs of yeast Esp1 and Pds1, **separin** and securin, have been identified [8], and, as anticipated, a nondegradable mutant form of securin **inhibits** sister separation when added to mitotic *Xenopus* egg extracts [8]. Securin was also independently identified as PTTG (pituitary tumor transforming gene), a gene overexpressed in pituitary tumors [9]. The relationship between its overexpression in tumors and its control of sister chromatid cohesion remains ill defined. To explore securin function in mammals, we took a targeted gene disruption approach in mice. Here, we report that securin is neither essential for cell viability nor required for spindle checkpoint function, and mice lacking securin are viable and apparently normal, but mouse embryonic fibroblasts lacking securin grow abnormally in culture.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001277712 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 21264235 PubMed ID: 11371343
TITLE: Phosphorylation of the cohesin subunit Scc1 by Polo/Cdc5 kinase regulates sister chromatid separation in yeast.
AUTHOR: Alexandru G; Uhlmann F; Mechtler K; Poupart M A; Nasmyth K
CORPORATE SOURCE: Research Institute of Molecular Pathology (IMP), Dr Bohr-Gasse 7, A-1030, Vienna, Austria.
SOURCE: CELL, (2001 May 18) 105 (4) 459-72.
Journal code: 0413066. ISSN: 0092-8674.
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AB At the onset of anaphase, a caspase-related protease (**separase**) destroys the link between sister chromatids by cleaving the cohesin subunit Scc1. During most of the cell cycle, **separase** is kept inactive by binding to an **inhibitory** protein called securin. **Separase** activation requires proteolysis of securin, which is mediated by an ubiquitin protein ligase called the anaphase-promoting complex. Cells regulate anaphase entry by delaying securin ubiquitination until all chromosomes have attached to the mitotic spindle. Though no longer regulated by this mitotic surveillance mechanism, sister separation remains tightly cell cycle regulated in yeast mutants lacking securin. We show here that the Polo/Cdc5 kinase phosphorylates serine residues adjacent to Scc1 cleavage sites and strongly enhances their cleavage. Phosphorylation of **separase** recognition sites may be highly conserved and regulates sister chromatid separation independently of securin.

L7 ANSWER 6 OF 10 MEDLINE on STN
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000472355 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 20428554 PubMed ID: 10970883

TITLE: Degradation of Drosophila PIM regulates sister chromatid separation during mitosis.
AUTHOR: Leismann O; Herzig A; Heidmann S; Lehner C F
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Genetics, University of Bayreuth, 95440 Bayreuth, Germany.
SOURCE: GENES AND DEVELOPMENT, (2000 Sep 1) 14 (17) 2192-205.
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ENTRY MONTH: 200010
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AB Drosophila Pimples (PIM) and Three rows (THR) are required for sister chromatid separation in mitosis. PIM accumulates during interphase and is degraded rapidly during mitosis. This degradation is dependent on a destruction box similar to that of B-type cyclins. Nondegradable PIM with a mutant destruction box can rescue sister chromatid separation in pim mutants but only when expressed at low levels. Higher levels of nondegradable PIM, as well as overexpression of wild-type PIM, **inhibit** sister chromatid separation. Moreover, cells arrested in mitosis before sister chromatid separation (by colcemid or by mutations in fizzy/CDC20) fail to degrade PIM. Thus, although not related by primary sequence, PIM has intriguing functional similarities to the securin proteins of budding yeast, fission yeast, and vertebrates. Whereas these securins are known to form a complex with **separins**, we show that PIM associates in vivo with THR, which does not contain the conserved **separin** domain.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000394766 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 20312182 PubMed ID: 10855492
TITLE: Destruction of the securin Pds1p occurs at the onset of anaphase during both meiotic divisions in yeast.
AUTHOR: Salah S M; Nasmyth K
CORPORATE SOURCE: Vienna Biocenter, Institute of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Austria.
SOURCE: CHROMOSOMA, (2000) 109 (1-2) 27-34.
Journal code: 2985138R. ISSN: 0009-5915.
PUB. COUNTRY: GERMANY: Germany, Federal Republic of
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
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AB Sister chromatid cohesion is established during DNA replication and depends on a multiprotein complex called cohesin. At the onset of anaphase the cohesive structures that hold sisters together must be destroyed to allow segregation of sisters. In the budding yeast *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* loss of sister chromatid cohesion depends on a separating protein (**separin**) called Esp1. At the metaphase to anaphase transition, **separin** is activated by proteolysis of its **inhibitory** subunit (securin) called Pds1. This process is mediated by the anaphase promoting complex and an accessory protein Cdc20. In meiosis a single round of DNA replication is followed by two successive rounds of segregation. Thus loss of cohesion is spun out over two divisions. By studying the mechanisms that initiate anaphase in meiotic division we show that the yeast securin Pds1p is present in meiotic nuclei and is destroyed at the onset of each meiotic division. We also show that securin destruction depends on Cdc20p which accumulates within nuclei around the time of Pds1p's disappearance.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000118102 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 20118102 PubMed ID: 10651900
 TITLE: Cell cycle mechanisms of sister chromatid separation; roles of Cut1/separin and Cut2/securin.
 AUTHOR: Yanagida M
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Gene Mechanisms, Graduate School of Biostudies, Kyoto University, Kitashirakawa-Oiwakecho, Sakyo-ku, Kyoto 606-8502, Japan..
 SOURCE: yanagida@kozo.biophys.kyotou.ac.jp
 GENES TO CELLS, (2000 Jan) 5 (1) 1-8. Ref: 30
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AB The correct transmission of chromosomes from mother to daughter cells is fundamental for genetic inheritance. Separation and segregation of sister chromatids in growing cells occurs in the cell cycle stage called 'anaphase'. The basic process of sister chromatid separation is similar in all eukaryotes: many gene products required are conserved. In this review, the roles of two proteins essential for the onset of anaphase in fission yeast, Cut2/securin and Cut1/separin, are discussed with regard to cell cycle regulation, and compared with the postulated roles of homologous proteins in other organisms. Securin, like mitotic cyclins, is the target of the anaphase promoting complex (APC)/cyclosome and is polyubiquitinated before destruction in a manner dependent upon the destruction sequence. The anaphase never occurs properly in the absence of securin destruction. In human cells, securin is an oncogene. **Separin** is a large protein (MW approximately 180 kDa), the C-terminus of which is conserved, and is thought to be **inhibited** by association with securin at the nonconserved N-terminus. In the budding yeast, Esp1/separin is thought to be a component of proteolysis against Scc1, an essential subunit of cohesin which is thought to link duplicated sister chromatids up to the anaphase. Whether fission yeast Cut1/separin is also implicated in proteolysis of cohesin is discussed.

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 ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999221850 MEDLINE
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 TITLE: Separating sister chromatids.
 AUTHOR: Nasmyth K
 CORPORATE SOURCE: IMP Research Institute of Molecular Pathology, Dr. Bohr-Gasse 7, A-1030 Vienna, Austria..
 SOURCE: Nasmyth@nt.imp.univie.ac.at
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AB Loss of cohesion between sister chromatids triggers their segregation during anaphase. Recent work has identified both a cohesin complex that holds sisters together and a sister-separating protein, **separin**, that destroys cohesion. **Separins** are bound by **inhibitory** proteins whose proteolysis at the metaphase-anaphase transition is mediated by the anaphase-promoting complex and its activator

protein CDC20 (APCCDC20). When chromosomes are misaligned, a surveillance mechanism (checkpoint) blocks sister separation by **inhibiting** APCCDC20. Defects in this apparatus are implicated in causing aneuploidy in human cells.

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AUTHOR(S): Stemmann, Olaf (1); Zou, Hui (1); Gygi, Steven (1);
Kirschner, Marc W. (1)
CORPORATE SOURCE: (1) Cell Biology, Harvard Medical School, 240 Longwood
Ave., Boston, MA, 02115-USA
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12, No. Supplement, pp. 408a. <http://www.molbiolcell.org/>.
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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 136:162818
TITLE: Dual inhibition of sister chromatid separation at metaphase
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DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
LANGUAGE: English

AB Sepn. of sister chromatids in anaphase is mediated by separase, an endopeptidase that cleaves the chromosomal cohesin SCC1. Separase is inhibited by securin, which is degraded at the metaphase-anaphase transition. Using *Xenopus* egg exts., we demonstrate that high CDC2 activity inhibits anaphase but not securin degrdn. We show that separase is kept inactive under these conditions by a mechanism independent of binding to securin. Mutation of a single phosphorylation site on separase relieves the inhibition and rescues chromatid sep. in exts. with high CDC2 activity. Using quant. mass spectrometry, we show that, in intact cells, there is complete phosphorylation of this site in metaphase and significant dephosphorylation in anaphase. We propose that separase activation at the metaphase-anaphase transition requires the removal of both securin and an inhibitory phosphate.

REFERENCE COUNT: 46 THERE ARE 46 CITED REFERENCES AVAILABLE FOR THIS RECORD. ALL CITATIONS AVAILABLE IN THE RE FORMAT

L6 ANSWER 2 OF 4 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001:786622 CAPLUS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 136:98960
TITLE: Phosphorylation of the cohesin subunit Scc1 by Polo/Cdc5 kinase regulates sister chromatid separation in yeast
AUTHOR(S): Alexandru, Gabriela; Uhlmann, Frank; Mechtler, Karl; Poupart, Marc-Andre; Nasmyth, Kim
CORPORATE SOURCE: Res. Inst. of Mol. Pathol. (IMP), Vienna, A-1030, Austria
SOURCE: Cell (Cambridge, MA, United States) (2001), 105(4), 459-472
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AB At the onset of anaphase, a caspase-related protease (**separase**) destroys the link between sister chromatids by cleaving the cohesin subunit Scc1. During most of the cell cycle, **separase** is kept inactive by binding to an **inhibitory protein** called securin. **Separase** activation requires proteolysis of securin, which is mediated by a ubiquitin **protein** ligase called the anaphase-promoting complex. Cells regulate anaphase entry by delaying securin ubiquitination until all chromosomes have attached to the mitotic spindle. Though no longer regulated by this mitotic surveillance mechanism, sister sep. remains tightly cell cycle regulated in yeast mutants lacking securin. We show here that the Polo/Cdc5 kinase phosphorylates serine residues adjacent to Scc1 cleavage sites and strongly enhances their cleavage. Phosphorylation of **separase** recognition sites may be highly conserved and regulates sister chromatid sep. independently of securin.

REFERENCE COUNT: 54 THERE ARE 54 CITED REFERENCES AVAILABLE FOR THIS RECORD. ALL CITATIONS AVAILABLE IN THE RE FORMAT

L6 ANSWER 3 OF 4 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001:756258 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 136:306549
TITLE: Role of the kinetochore protein Ndc10 in mitotic checkpoint activation in *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*
AUTHOR(S): Frascini, R.; Beretta, A.; Lucchini, G.; Piatti, S.
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SOURCE: Molecular Genetics and Genomics (2001), 266(1), 115-125
CODEN: MGGOAA; ISSN: 1617-4615
PUBLISHER: Springer-Verlag
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
LANGUAGE: English

AB Mitotic checkpoints delay cell cycle progression in response to alterations in the mitotic app., thus ensuring correct chromosome segregation. While improper spindle orientation activates the Bub2/Bfa1-dependent checkpoint in budding yeast, delaying exit from mitosis, lack of bipolar kinetochore-microtubule attachment activates a signal transduction cascade that prevents both anaphase onset and exit from mitosis by **inhibiting** the Cdc20/APC (Anaphase Promoting Complex)-mediated proteolysis of securin and inactivation of mitotic cyclin-dependent kinases (CDKs), resp. Proteolysis of the securin Pds1 is necessary to liberate the **separase** Esp1, which then triggers sister chromatid sepn., whereas inactivation of mitotic CDKs is a prerequisite for exit from mitosis and for starting a new round of DNA replication in the next cell cycle. In budding yeast, this latter checkpoint response involves the **proteins** Mad1, 2, 3, Bub1 and Bub3, whose vertebrate counterparts localize to unattached kinetochores. Mutations that alter other kinetochore **proteins** result in mitotic checkpoint activation, while the ndc10-1 mutation not only impairs kinetochore function, but also disrupts the checkpoint response, indicating a role for Ndc10 in this process. Here the authors present evidence that Ndc10 is not part of the Bub2/Bfa1-dependent pathway, and its role in the checkpoint response might also be different from that of the other Mad and Bub **proteins**. Indeed, Ndc10, unlike other mitotic checkpoint **proteins**, is not required for the mitotic block induced by over-expression of the Mps1 **protein** kinase, which is implicated in mitotic checkpoint control. Furthermore, the delay in mitotic exit caused by non-degradable Pds1, which does not require Mad and Bub **proteins**, depends on Ndc10 function. The authors propose that a pathway involving Ndc10 might monitor defects in the mitotic app. independently of the Mad and Bub **proteins**. Since the Esp1 **separase** is required for exit from mitosis in both ndc10-1 and nocodazole-treated mad2.DELTA. cells, the two signal transduction cascades might ultimately converge on the inactivation of Esp1.

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L6 ANSWER 4 OF 4 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001:749385 CAPLUS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 136:321097
TITLE: Drosophila separase is required for sister chromatid separation and binds to PIM and THR
AUTHOR(S): Jager, Hubert; Herzig, Alf; Lehner, Christian F.; Heidmann, Stefan
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Genetics, University of Bayreuth, Bayreuth, 95440, Germany
SOURCE: Genes & Development (2001), 15(19), 2572-2584
CODEN: GEDEEP; ISSN: 0890-9369
PUBLISHER: Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory Press
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LANGUAGE: English

AB Drosophila PIM and THR are required for sister chromatid sepn. in mitosis and assoc. in vivo. Neither of these two **proteins** shares significant sequence similarity with known **proteins**. However, PIM has functional similarities with securin **proteins**. Like securin, PIM is degraded at the metaphase-to-anaphase transition and this degrdn. is required for sister chromatid sepn. Securin binds and

inhibits separase, a conserved cysteine endoprotease. Proteolysis of securin at the metaphase-to-anaphase transition activates **separase**, which degrades a conserved cohesin subunit, thereby allowing sister chromatid sepn. To address whether PIM regulates **separase** activity or functions with THR in a distinct pathway, we have characterized a *Drosophila* **separase** homolog (SSE). SSE is an unusual member of the **separase** family. SSE is only about one-third the size of other **separases** and has a diverged endoprotease domain. However, our genetic analyses show that SSE is essential and required for sister chromatid sepn. during mitosis. Moreover, we show that SSE assoc. with both PIM and THR. Although our work shows that **separase** is required for sister chromatid sepn. in higher eukaryotes, in addn., it also indicates that the regulatory **proteins** have diverged to a surprising degree, particularly in *Drosophila*.

REFERENCE COUNT:

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L5 ANSWER 1 OF 23 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS on STN DUPLICATE 1
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:491423 CAPLUS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 139:65403
TITLE: Human cDNAs encoding separase, methods for modulation
of separase activity in sister chromatid DNA
separation, and uses thereof
INVENTOR(S): Kirschner, Marc W.; Stemmann, Olaf; Zou, Hui; Gygi,
Steven P.
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): President and Fellows of Harvard College, USA
SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 97 pp.
CODEN: PIXXD2
DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent
LANGUAGE: English
FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 1
PATENT INFORMATION:

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PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.: US 2001-340682P P 20011214

AB The invention provides nucleic acid mols., designated **separase** nucleic acid mols., which encode **separase**, an endopeptidase that modulates sister chromatid sepn. The invention also provides recombinant expression vectors contg. **separase** nucleic acid mols. and host cells into which the expression vectors have been introduced. The invention still further provides **separase** proteins, fusion proteins, antigenic peptides and anti-**separase** antibodies. The invention also provides methods for the identification of modulators of **separase**, methods of modulating **separase**, methods of modulating sister chromatid sepn. at metaphase, and methods for the treatment of disorders related to aberrant sister chromatid sepn., such as cancer, Down's syndrome, and spontaneous fetal abortion. Sister chromatid cohesion is mediated by a multiprotein complex, cohesin. At the metaphase to anaphase transition in vertebrates, cohesin complexes in centromeric regions are removed by cleavage of the cohesin subunit SCC1 by a cysteine endopeptidase, **separase**. Before anaphase, **separase** is inhibited by assocn. with the inhibitor securin and by CDC2/cyclinB1-mediated phosphorylation of **separase**. Human **separase** cDNA contg. a putative unspliced intron was cloned and an expression vector was developed for an in vitro **separase** activity assay. In cell exts. with high CDC2 activity, **separase** was inactive even in the absence of securin and some cleavage,, possibly self-cleavage, of **separase** was obsd. Phosphopeptide mapping and site-directed mutagenesis demonstrated that inhibitory phosphorylation of **separase** is due to phosphorylation at serine residue 1126 and threonine residue 1346. Phosphorylation site mutants rescued sister chromatid sepn. and cohesin cleavage in a cell ext. with high CDC2 activity.

L5 ANSWER 2 OF 23 USPATFULL on STN DUPLICATE 2
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:213824 USPATFULL
TITLE: Dual inhibition of sister chromatid separation at metaphase
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DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility	
FILE SEGMENT:	APPLICATION	
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NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	78	
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1	
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	19 Drawing Page(s)	
LINE COUNT:	2926	

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB The invention provides nucleic acid molecules, designated separase nucleic acid molecules, which encode separase, an endopeptidase that modulates sister chromatid separation. The invention also provides recombinant expression vectors containing separase nucleic acid molecules and host cells into which the expression vectors have been introduced. The invention still further provides separase proteins, fusion proteins, antigenic peptides and anti-separase antibodies. The invention also provides methods for the identification of modulators of separase, methods of modulating separase, methods of modulating sister chromatid separation, and methods for the treatment of disorders related to aberrant sister chromatid separation, such as cancer, Down's syndrome, and spontaneous fetal abortion.

L5 ANSWER 3 OF 23 PCTFULL COPYRIGHT 2003 Univentio on STN
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003016335 PCTFULL ED 20030313 EW 200309
TITLE (ENGLISH): IRREVERSIBLE CYSTEINE PROTEASE INHIBITORS OF
LEGUMAIN
TITLE (FRENCH): INHIBITEURS IRREVERSIBLES DE LA CYSTEINE
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APPLICATION INFO.:	WO 2002-EP8202	A	20020723
PRIORITY INFO.:	US 2001-60/311,790		20010813
ABEN	Presented are compounds represented by the following general formulas (I) and (II), for inhibiting cysteine protease legumain for modulating associated disease states in subjects.		
ABFR	L'invention se rapporte a des composes representes par les formules (I) et (II), et utilises dans l' inhibition de la cysteine protease de la legumaine afin de moduler les etats pathologiques associes chez des sujets.		

L5 ANSWER 4 OF 23 USPATFULL on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:120777 USPATFULL

TITLE: Class of 12mer peptides that inhibit the function of the mitotic check point protein Mad2

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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 2003083261	A1	20030501
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 2001-845612	A1	20010430 (9)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	APPLICATION		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Steven L. Highlander, Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P., Suite 2400, 600 Congress Avenue, Austin, TX, 78701		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	45		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	6 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	3442		
CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.			
AB	The present invention relates to methods of inhibiting Mad2 function by using a peptide that binds to Mad2, designated Mad2 binding peptides (MBPs). More particularly, the Mad2 binding peptides may be used to inhibit cancer cell proliferation. Yet further, Mad2 binding peptides may be used in combination with a second cancer therapy, for example taxol.		

L5 ANSWER 5 OF 23 EUROPATFULL COPYRIGHT 2003 WILA on STN

PATENT APPLICATION - PATENTANMELDUNG - DEMANDE DE BREVET

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1321529 EUROPATFULL EW 200326 FS OS

TITLE: Methods for identifying compounds that modulate sister chromatid cohesion.
Verfahren zum Nachweis von Modulatoren von Schwesterchromatid Kohaesion.
Procede d'identification des modulateurs de la cohesion des chromatides soeurs.

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 APPLICATION INFO.: EP 2001-130640 20011221
 ABEN Method for identifying compounds which modulates cohesion of sister
 chromatids by modulating the acetyltransferase activity of Ecol <image>

L5 ANSWER 6 OF 23 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:216535 CAPLUS
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 139:20129
 TITLE: A non-proteolytic function of separase links the onset
 of anaphase to mitotic exit
 AUTHOR(S): Sullivan, Matt; Uhlmann, Frank
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Cancer Research UK, Lincoln's Inn Fields Laboratories,
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 SOURCE: Nature Cell Biology (2003), 5(3), 249-254
 CODEN: NCBIFN; ISSN: 1465-7392
 PUBLISHER: Nature Publishing Group
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
 LANGUAGE: English

AB **Separase** is a protease that triggers chromosome segregation at
 anaphase onset by cleaving cohesin, the chromosomal **protein**
 complex responsible for sister chromatid cohesion. After anaphase, cells
 exit from mitosis; i.e., they complete downregulation of cyclin-dependent
 kinase activity, undergo cytokinesis and enter G1 of the next cell cycle.
 Here we show that **separase** activation at the onset of anaphase
 is sufficient to promote release from the nucleolus and activation of the
 budding yeast phosphatase, Cdc14, a key step in mitotic exit. The ability
 of **separase** to activate Cdc14 is independent of its protease
 function but may involve promoting phosphorylation of the Cdc14
inhibitor Net1. This novel **separase** function is
 coregulated with its proteolytic activity by the **separase**
inhibitor securin. This helps to explain the coupling of anaphase
 and mitotic exit - after securin degrdn. at anaphase onset,
separase cleaves cohesin to trigger chromosome segregation and
 concurrently uses a non-proteolytic mechanism to initiate mitotic exit.

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L5 ANSWER 7 OF 23 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:144425 CAPLUS
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 139:32377
 TITLE: Western blot screening for monoclonal antibodies
 against human separase
 AUTHOR(S): Chestukhin, Anton; DeCaprio, James A.
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, Department of Medical
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 SOURCE: Journal of Immunological Methods (2003), 274(1-2),

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CODEN: JIMMBG; ISSN: 0022-1759

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DOCUMENT TYPE:

Journal

LANGUAGE:

English

AB **Separase** is a cysteine protease that participates in sepn. of sister chromatids during mitosis. Human **separase** is a 230-kDa enzyme that is **inhibited** by binding to its **protein inhibitor** securin, specific phosphorylation, and subcellular localization. To further characterize human **separase**, we raised monoclonal antibodies specific against a C-terminal fragment of the **protein**. A crit. step in monoclonal antibody prodn. procedure is the primary screening of hybridoma supernatants. Here we report primary screening protocol utilizing Western blot anal. The described screening protocol is carried out using fusion of a human **separase** fragment with two different purifn. tags, maltose-binding **protein** (MBP) and glutathione S-transferase (GST). Immunization by MBP-fusion was followed by primary screening with both MBP- and GST-**separase** fusions combined in the same prepn. sepd. in SDS-PAGE. This highly sensitive screening approach reduced the no. of pos. signals by eliminating antibodies specific for the purifn. tag used in the immunization procedure. The described **separase**-specific antibodies were suitable for detection of endogenous **separase** in crude exts., immunopptn., and immunofluorescent cell staining expts. The presented procedure is fast, reproducible and could be adopted as a primary screening scheme for a variety of **protein** antigens.

REFERENCE COUNT: 15 THERE ARE 15 CITED REFERENCES AVAILABLE FOR THIS RECORD. ALL CITATIONS AVAILABLE IN THE RE FORMAT

L5 ANSWER 8 OF 23 PCTFULL COPYRIGHT 2003 Univentio on STN DUPLICATE 3
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002057566 PCTFULL ED 20020801 EW 200230
TITLE (ENGLISH): METHOD FOR IDENTIFYING COMPOUNDS MODULATING SISTER CHROMATID SEPARATION
TITLE (FRENCH): PROCEDE RELATIF A L'IDENTIFICATION DE COMPOSES MODULANT LA SEPARATION DES CHROMATIDES JUMENTAUX
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APPLICATION INFO.: WO 2002-EP529 A 20020119
PRIORITY INFO.: EP 2001-01101252.3 20010119

ABEN Screening methods for identifying **separase inhibitors**
based on active forms of **separase** and compounds identified in
such methods.

ABFR L'invention concerne des procedes de criblage qui assurent
l'identification d'**inhibiteurs** de **separase**, compte
tenu des formes actives de **separase**. L'invention concerne
egalement des composes identifiees par le biais de ces procedes.

L5 ANSWER 9 OF 23 USPATFULL on STN DUPLICATE 4

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:294577 USPATFULL
TITLE: Method for identifying compounds modulating sister
chromatid separation
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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 2002164620	A1	20021107
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	US 2001-297440P	20010613 (60)

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NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 10
EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 17 Drawing Page(s)
LINE COUNT: 1019

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB Screening methods for identifying separase inhibitors based on active
forms of separase and compounds identified in such methods.

L5 ANSWER 10 OF 23 EUROPATFULL COPYRIGHT 2003 WILA on STN DUPLICATE 5

PATENT APPLICATION - PATENTANMELDUNG - DEMANDE DE BREVET

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1227160 EUROPATFULL EW 200231 FS OS
TITLE: Compounds modulating sister chromatid separation and
method for identifying same.
Verbindungen, die die Trennung von Schwesterchromatiden
modulieren, und Verfahren fuer das Identifizieren dieser
Verbindungen.

Des composes qui influent la separation des chromatides
soeurs ainsi qu'une methode pour les identifier.

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ABEN Screening methods for identifying **separase inhibitors**
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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002076383 PCTFULL ED 20021011 EW 200240
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ABEN Securin-deficient cells and their securin-proficient counterparts are
useful for screening potential anti-tumor agents. Potential therapeutic
agents are screened for the ability to preferentially **inhibit**
or kill a securin-deficient cell. The association of securin deficiency
and chromosomal instability leading to aneuploidy, renders securin an
excellent target for chemotherapeutic drug development.

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securine sont utiles pour la recherche systematique d'agents

potentiellement antitumoraux. Le criblage d'agents therapeutiques potentiels porte sur leur aptitude a inhiber ou a tuer une cellule deficitaire en securine. L'association d'un deficit en securine et l'instabilite chromosomique conduisant a l'aneuploidie fait de la securine une cible remarquable pour la mise au point de medicaments chimiotherapeutiques.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:251075 USPATFULL

TITLE: Securin is required for chromosomal stability in human cells

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AB Securin-deficient cells and their isogenic securin-proficient counterparts are useful for screening potential anti-tumor agents. Potential therapeutic agents are screened for the ability to preferentially inhibit or kill a securin-deficient cell. The association of securin deficiency and chromosomal instability leading to aneuploidy, renders securin an excellent target for chemotherapeutic drug development.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:753616 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 138:52965

TITLE: Proteolytic cleavage of the THR subunit during anaphase limits Drosophila separase function

AUTHOR(S): Herzig, Alf; Lehner, Christian F.; Heidmann, Stefan
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SOURCE: Genes & Development (2002), 16(18), 2443-2454
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AB Sister-chromatid sepn. in mitosis requires proteolytic cleavage of a cohesin subunit. **Separase**, the corresponding protease, is activated at the metaphase-to-anaphase transition. Activation involves proteolysis of an **inhibitory** subunit, securin, following ubiquitination mediated by the anaphase-promoting complex/cyclosome. In Drosophila, the securin PIM assoc. not only with **separase** (SSE), but also with an addnl. **protein**, THR. THR is cleaved after the metaphase-to-anaphase transition. THR cleavage only occurs in functional SSE complexes and in a region that matches the **separase** cleavage-site consensus. Mutations in this region abolish mitotic THR cleavage. These results indicate that THR is cleaved by SSE. Expression of noncleavable THR variants results in cold-sensitive maternal-effect lethality. This lethality can be suppressed by a redn. of catalytically active SSE levels, indicating that THR cleavage inactivates SSE complexes. THR cleavage is particularly important during the process of cellularization, which follows completion of the last syncytial mitosis of early embryogenesis, suggesting that Drosophila **separase** has other targets in addn. to cohesin subunits.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:982278 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 138:249613

TITLE: The Cdc20 Homolog, FZY-1, and Its Interacting Protein, IFY-1, Are Required for Proper Chromosome Segregation in *Caenorhabditis elegans*AUTHOR(S): Kitagawa, Risa; Law, Elaine; Tang, Lois; Rose, Ann M.
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SOURCE: Current Biology (2002), 12(24), 2118-2123

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PUBLISHER: Cell Press

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB Accurate chromosome segregation is achieved by a series of highly regulated processes that culminate in the metaphase-to-anaphase transition of the cell cycle. In the budding yeast *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*, the degradn. of the securin **protein** Pds1 reverses the binding and **inhibition** of the **separase** protein Esp1. Esp1 cleaves Scc1. That cleavage promotes the dissocn. of the cohesin complex from the chromosomes and leads the sepn. of sister chromatids. Proteolysis of Pds1 is regulated by the anaphase-promoting complex (APC), a large multi-subunit E3 ubiquitin ligase whose activity is regulated by Cdc20/Fizzy. We have previously shown that the *Caenorhabditis elegans* genes mdf-1/MAD1 and mdf-2/MAD2 encode key members of the spindle checkpoint. Loss of function of either gene leads to an accumulation of somatic and heritable defects and ultimately results in death. Here we show that a missense mutation in fzy-1/CDC20/Fizzy suppresses mdf-1 lethality. We identified a FZY-1-interacting **protein**, IFY-1, a novel destruction-box **protein**. IFY-1 accumulates in one-cell-arrested emb-30/APC4 embryos and interacts with SEP-1, a *C. elegans* **separase**, suggesting that IFY-1 functions as a *C. elegans* securin.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:540563 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 137:273944

TITLE: Spol3 regulates cohesin cleavage

AUTHOR(S): Lee, Brian H.; Amon, Angelika; Prinz, Susanne
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AB A key aspect of meiotic chromosome segregation is that cohesin, the **protein** complex that holds sister chromatids together, dissoc. from chromosome arms during meiosis I and from centromeric regions during meiosis II. The budding yeast **protein** Spol3 plays a key role in preventing centromeric cohesin from being lost during meiosis I. We have detd. the mol. basis for the metaphase arrest obtained when SPO13 is overexpressed during the mitotic cell cycle. Overexpression of SPO13 **inhibits** anaphase onset by at least two mechanisms. First, Spol3 causes a transient delay in degradn. of the anaphase **inhibitor** Pds1. Second, Spol3 **inhibits** cleavage of the cohesin subunit Scc1/Mcd1 or its meiosis-specific homolog, Rec8, by the **separase** Esp1. The finding that Spol3 did not prevent cleavage of another Esp1 **substrate**, Slk19, suggests that overexpression of SPO13 is sufficient to prevent cohesin cleavage by protecting specific **substrates** from **separase** activity.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:471266 CAPLUS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 138:300300
TITLE: Phosphorylation of the mitotic regulator Pds1/securin by Cdc28 is required for efficient nuclear localization of Esp1/separase
AUTHOR(S): Agarwal, Ritu; Cohen-Fix, Orna
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DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
LANGUAGE: English

AB Sister chromatid sepn. at the metaphase-to-anaphase transition is induced by the proteolytic cleavage of one of the cohesin complex subunits. This process is mediated by a conserved protease called **separase**. **Separase** is assocd. with its **inhibitor**, securin, until the time of anaphase initiation, when securin is degraded in an anaphase-promoting complex/cyclosome (APC/C)-dependent manner. In budding yeast securin/Pds1 not only **inhibits separase**/Esp1, but also promotes its nuclear localization. The mol. mechanism and regulation of this nuclear targeting are presently unknown. Here we show that Pds1 is a **substrate** of the cyclin-dependent kinase Cdc28. Phosphorylation of Pds1 by Cdc28 is important for efficient binding of Pds1 to Esp1 and for promoting the nuclear localization of Esp1. Our results uncover a previously unknown mechanism for regulating the Pds1-Esp1 interaction and shed light on a novel role for Cdc28 in promoting the metaphase-to-anaphase transition in budding yeast.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 137:348269
TITLE: Regulation of human separase by securin binding and autocleavage
AUTHOR(S): Waizenegger, Irene C.; Gimenez-Abian, Juan F.; Wernic, Dominik; Peters, Jan-Michael
CORPORATE SOURCE: Research Institute of Molecular Pathology, Vienna, 1030, Austria
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LANGUAGE: English

AB Background: Sister chromatid sepn. is initiated by **separase**, a protease that cleaves cohesin and thereby dissolves sister chromatid cohesion. **Separase** is activated by the degrdn. of its **inhibitor** securin and by the removal of **inhibitory** phosphates. In human cells, **separase** activation also coincides with the cleavage of **separase**, but it is not known if this reaction activates **separase**, which protease cleaves **separase**, and how **separase** cleavage is regulated. Results: **Inhibition** of **separase** expression in human cells by RNA interference causes the formation of polyploid cells with large lobed nuclei. In mitosis, many of these cells contain abnormal chromosome plates with unsepd. sister chromatids. **Inhibitor** binding expts. in vitro reveal that securin prevents the access of **substrate** analogs to the active site of **separase**. Upon securin degrdn., the active site of full-length **separase** becomes accessible, allowing rapid autocatalytic cleavage of **separase** at one of three sites. The resulting N- and C-terminal fragments remain assocd. and can be reinhibited by securin. Conclusions: Our results suggest that **separase** is required for sister chromatid sepn. during mitosis in human cells. Our data further indicate that securin **inhibits separase** by blocking the access of **substrates** to the active site of **separase**. Securin

proteolysis allows autocatalytic processing of **separase** into a cleaved form, but **separase** cleavage is not essential for **separase** activation.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:548056 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 137:243836

TITLE: The Dual Mechanism of Separase Regulation by Securin

AUTHOR(S): Hornig, Nadine C. D.; Knowles, Philip P.; McDonald, Neil Q.; Uhlmann, Frank

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SOURCE: Current Biology (2002), 12(12), 973-982

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PUBLISHER: Cell Press

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB Background: Sister chromatid sepn. and segregation at anaphase onset are triggered by cleavage of the chromosomal cohesin complex by the protease **separase**. **Separase** is regulated by its binding partner securin in two ways: securin is required to support **separase** activity in anaphase; and, at the same time, securin must be destroyed via ubiquitylation before **separase** becomes active. The mol. mechanisms underlying this dual regulation of **separase** by securin are unknown. Results: We show that, in budding yeast, securin supports **separase** localization. **Separase** enters the nucleus independently of securin, but securin is required and sufficient to cause accumulation of **separase** in the nucleus, where its known cleavage targets reside. Securin also ensures that **separase** gains full proteolytic activity in anaphase. We also show that securin, while present, directly **inhibits** the proteolytic activity of **separase**. Securin prevents the binding of **separase** to its **substrates**. It also hinders the **separase** N terminus from interacting with and possibly inducing an activating conformational change at the protease active site 150 kDa downstream at the **protein's** C terminus. Conclusions: Securin **inhibits** the proteolytic activity of **separase** in a 2-fold manner. While **inhibiting separase**, securin is able to promote nuclear accumulation of **separase** and help **separase** to become fully activated after securin's own destruction at anaphase onset.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:109232 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 136:291515

TITLE: Separase, polo kinase, the kinetochore protein Slk19, and Spo12 function in a network that controls Cdc14 localization during early anaphase

AUTHOR(S): Stegmeier, Frank; Visintin, Rosella; Amon, Angelika

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AB In budding yeast, the phosphatase Cdc14, a key regulator of exit from mitosis, is released from its **inhibitor** Cfil/Net1 in the nucleolus during anaphase. A signaling cascade, known as the mitotic exit network (MEN), controls this release. We have identified a regulatory network, the FEAR (Cdc fourteen early anaphase release) network that promotes Cdc14 release from the nucleolus during early anaphase. The FEAR network is comprised of the polo kinase Cdc5, the **separase** Esp1, the kinetochore-assocd. **protein** Slk19, and Spo12. We also show

that the FEAR network initiates Cdc14 release from Cfi1/Net1 during early anaphase, and MEN maintains Cdc14 in the released state during late anaphase. We propose that one function of Cdc14 released by the FEAR network is to stimulate MEN activity. cdc15.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001:749385 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 136:321097

TITLE: Drosophila separase is required for sister chromatid separation and binds to PIM and THR

AUTHOR(S): Jager, Hubert; Herzig, Alf; Lehner, Christian F.; Heidmann, Stefan

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LANGUAGE: English

AB Drosophila PIM and THR are required for sister chromatid sepn. in mitosis and assoc. in vivo. Neither of these two **proteins** shares significant sequence similarity with known **proteins**. However, PIM has functional similarities with securin **proteins**. Like securin, PIM is degraded at the metaphase-to-anaphase transition and this degrdn. is required for sister chromatid sepn. Securin binds and **inhibits separase**, a conserved cysteine endoprotease. Proteolysis of securin at the metaphase-to-anaphase transition activates **separase**, which degrades a conserved cohesin subunit, thereby allowing sister chromatid sepn. To address whether PIM regulates **separase** activity or functions with THR in a distinct pathway, we have characterized a Drosophila **separase** homolog (SSE). SSE is an unusual member of the **separase** family. SSE is only about one-third the size of other **separases** and has a diverged endoprotease domain. However, our genetic analyses show that SSE is essential and required for sister chromatid sepn. during mitosis. Moreover, we show that SSE assoc. with both PIM and THR. Although our work shows that **separase** is required for sister chromatid sepn. in higher eukaryotes, in addn., it also indicates that the regulatory **proteins** have diverged to a surprising degree, particularly in Drosophila.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:11853 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 136:162818

TITLE: Dual inhibition of sister chromatid separation at metaphase

AUTHOR(S): Stemmann, Olaf; Zou, Hui; Gerber, Scott A.; Gygi, Steven P.; Kirschner, Marc W.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Cell Biology, Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA, 02115, USA

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AB Sepn. of sister chromatids in anaphase is mediated by separase, an endopeptidase that cleaves the chromosomal cohesin SCC1. Separase is inhibited by securin, which is degraded at the metaphase-anaphase transition. Using Xenopus egg exts., we demonstrate that high CDC2 activity inhibits anaphase but not securin degrdn. We show that separase is kept inactive under these conditions by a mechanism independent of binding to securin. Mutation of a single phosphorylation site on separase relieves the inhibition and rescues chromatid sepn. in exts. with high CDC2 activity. Using quant. mass spectrometry, we show that, in intact

cells, there is complete phosphorylation of this site in metaphase and significant dephosphorylation in anaphase. We propose that separase activation at the metaphase-anaphase transition requires the removal of both securin and an inhibitory phosphate.

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L5 ANSWER 22 OF 23 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001:786622 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 136:98960

TITLE: Phosphorylation of the cohesin subunit Scc1 by Polo/Cdc5 kinase regulates sister chromatid separation in yeast

AUTHOR(S): Alexandru, Gabriela; Uhlmann, Frank; Mechtler, Karl; Poupart, Marc-Andre; Nasmyth, Kim

CORPORATE SOURCE: Res. Inst. of Mol. Pathol. (IMP), Vienna, A-1030, Austria

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LANGUAGE: English

AB At the onset of anaphase, a caspase-related protease (**separase**) destroys the link between sister chromatids by cleaving the cohesin subunit Scc1. During most of the cell cycle, **separase** is kept inactive by binding to an **inhibitory protein** called securin. **Separase** activation requires proteolysis of securin, which is mediated by a ubiquitin **protein** ligase called the anaphase-promoting complex. Cells regulate anaphase entry by delaying securin ubiquitination until all chromosomes have attached to the mitotic spindle. Though no longer regulated by this mitotic surveillance mechanism, sister sepn. remains tightly cell cycle regulated in yeast mutants lacking securin. We show here that the Polo/Cdc5 kinase phosphorylates serine residues adjacent to Scc1 cleavage sites and strongly enhances their cleavage. Phosphorylation of **separase** recognition sites may be highly conserved and regulates sister chromatid sepn. independently of securin.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001:756258 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 136:306549

TITLE: Role of the kinetochore protein Ndc10 in mitotic checkpoint activation in *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*

AUTHOR(S): Fraschini, R.; Beretta, A.; Lucchini, G.; Piatti, S.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Dipartimento di Biotecnologie e Bioscienze, Universita degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca, Milan, 20126, Italy

SOURCE: Molecular Genetics and Genomics (2001), 266(1), 115-125

CODEN: MGGOAA; ISSN: 1617-4615

PUBLISHER: Springer-Verlag

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB Mitotic checkpoints delay cell cycle progression in response to alterations in the mitotic app., thus ensuring correct chromosome segregation. While improper spindle orientation activates the Bub2/Bfa1-dependent checkpoint in budding yeast, delaying exit from mitosis, lack of bipolar kinetochore-microtubule attachment activates a signal transduction cascade that prevents both anaphase onset and exit from mitosis by **inhibiting** the Cdc20/APC (Anaphase Promoting Complex)-mediated proteolysis of securin and inactivation of mitotic cyclin-dependent kinases (CDKs), resp. Proteolysis of the securin Pds1 is necessary to liberate the **separase** Esp1, which then triggers sister chromatid sepn., whereas inactivation of mitotic CDKs is a prerequisite for exit from mitosis and for starting a new round of DNA replication in the next cell cycle. In budding yeast, this latter checkpoint response involves the **proteins** Mad1, 2, 3, Bub1 and

Bub3, whose vertebrate counterparts localize to unattached kinetochores. Mutations that alter other kinetochore **proteins** result in mitotic checkpoint activation, while the ndc10-1 mutation not only impairs kinetochore function, but also disrupts the checkpoint response, indicating a role for Ndc10 in this process. Here the authors present evidence that Ndc10 is not part of the Bub2/Bfa1-dependent pathway, and its role in the checkpoint response might also be different from that of the other Mad and Bub **proteins**. Indeed, Ndc10, unlike other mitotic checkpoint **proteins**, is not required for the mitotic block induced by over-expression of the Mps1 **protein** kinase, which is implicated in mitotic checkpoint control. Furthermore, the delay in mitotic exit caused by non-degradable Pds1, which does not require Mad and Bub **proteins**, depends on Ndc10 function. The authors propose that a pathway involving Ndc10 might monitor defects in the mitotic app. independently of the Mad and Bub **proteins**. Since the Esp1 **separase** is required for exit from mitosis in both ndc10-1 and nocodazole-treated mad2.DELTA. cells, the two signal transduction cascades might ultimately converge on the inactivation of Esp1.

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